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Re: *Barnes et al v. City of Atlanta*
Superior Court of Fulton County, CAFN 2000cv24809

Dear Mr. Ward:

This letter is notice that this law firm is acting on behalf of certain attorneys in the litigation entitled *Barnes et al v. City of Atlanta* and filed in the Superior Court of Fulton County under CAFN 2000cv24809 (the "Class Action Litigation").

This letter is notice to the City and to counsel of record for the various classes in the Class Action Litigation ("Class Counsel") that the attorneys on the enclosed list wish to waive their right to receive an occupation tax refund in accord with the Court's final order and judgment. We have listed the name of the attorneys who waive this refund and you may assume that the letterhead address may be used as the address for each of those listed attorneys.

We understand that our decision will release the City of Atlanta from the obligation to process a refund for the listed attorneys for the years 1996 through 2004 unless a different period is specified in the attachment. However, we have relied on the City's representation that it has paid or will pay the amount of attorney fees which are due to Class Counsel from the common fund created in the Class Action Litigation, without any further action on our part and without any cost to any attorney who waives their refund. Other than the payment of the attorney fees to Class Counsel by the City, each listed attorney hereby waives their right to any refund from the City of Atlanta which might be due to them as a result of the Class Action Litigation.

Sincerely,

Enclosure